Carrick will be with you — it is now certain. Let the State Society choose a Secretary who will become an agent, travel, organize Churches &c, & gather contributions for us. Get a good one, one who cannot be despised.

We understand that Mr Wright sent the Treasury, by a packet to some port in Maine. But one I have not, or if it is not of late. Lest they should not — you will send you 3000 dollars, to be disbursed as an amount at the next call. We shall send them to C.C. Dean. Baxter with request that he will forward them (next) without delay to Rev. S. Shepard Hancock, Me.

Yours truly.
John Leavitt

You with your course & our Free Press, represent our Society in the Convention
John Leavitt
Secretary Pro tem

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Br. Phelps

I cannot come to the convention as I am obliged to go to Utica to the American Board. I wish you could give us some account of the proceedings. I think Br. Cummings is pretty well used up. Noble. You have a clear coast. Be wise, calm, firm as a rock. Dr. Beecher has been here & we had a meeting with him, but he did not serve us, nor we him; though we think more highly of his heart, & I suspect he thinks more of our heads, than before. He is ripe for a new agitation. We keep our eye on it. It can't be helped, but I hope will do much hurt.

We commit the how concluded, that after you have done your work in Maine you had better go to New Hampshire, & prepare for the convention there. I shall be

Joshua Leavitt
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